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FOR AF/C JUNIOR FROM CHARGE

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SUBJECT: PARIS MEETING ON AFRICAN FORCES IN SHABA

REF: JUNIOR/DAVIS TELECOM SEPT 12

1. FOLLOWING ARE SOME BALL-PARK FIGURES PREPARED BY DATT
AND ZAMISH AS ESTIMATES FOR EXPENSE OF MAINTAINING AFRICAN
FORCE IN SHABA.

2. RATIONS AND PERSONAL EQUIPMENT: FOR TROOPS:

MOROCCO	7,325 DOL PER DAY
SENEGAL	2,930 DOL PER DAY
TOGO	705 DOL PER DAY
GABON	235 DOL PER DAY
IVORY COAST	525 DOL PER DAY
TOTAL	11,720 DOL

3. FUEL AND MAINTENANCE FOR VEHICLES AND HELICOPTERS

MOROCCO:

JEEPS	2,600 DOL PER DAY
LANDROVERS	2,705 DOL PER DAY
UNIMAGS	2,020 DOL PER DAY

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GMCS	1,180 DOL PER DAY
AMBULANCES	118 DOL PER DAY
M113 (APCS)	170 DOL PER DAY
TOTAL	8,793 DOL PER DAY

SENEGAL:

JEEPS	430 DOL PER DAY
UNIMAGS	448 DOL PER DAY

GMCS	110 DOL PER DAY
VLRAS	UNKNOWN ESTIMATE (90) DOL PER DAY
TOTAL	978 DOL PER DAY

TOGO:

JEEPS	27 DOL PER DAY
UNIMOGS	358 DOL PER DAY
TOTAL	385 DOL PER DAY

GABON:

JEEPS	27 DOL PER DAY
VLRBS	80 DOL PER DAY
TOTAL	87 DOL PER DAY

IVORY COAST:

JEEPS	135 DOL PER DAY
AMBULANCES	60 DOL PER DAY
TOTAL	195 DOL PER DAY

HELICOPTERS:

GAZELLES	600 DOL PER DAY (12 HRS)
PUMAS	1,600 DOL PER DAY (8HRS)
TOTAL	2,200 DOL PER DAY

TOTAL FUEL AND MAINTENANCE

FOR VEHICLES AND HELICOPTERS	12,638 DOL PER DAY
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NOTE: FUEL COSTS BASED ON 2.50 DOL PER GALLON.

AMMUNITION: EST 200 DOL PER DAY IN NON-COMBAT SITUATION.

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4. OVERALL TOTAL COST: 24,538 DOL PER DAY

5. TRANSPORT OF FOOD, EQUIPMENT, REPAIR PARTS, ETC. TO
ZAIRE AS WELL AS ANY HOUSING , TROOP ROTATION, OR MEDICAL
SUPPLY COSTS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THESE FIGURES. IN
TIME OF INCREASED CONFLICT OR ACTIVITY FUEL, MAINTENANCE
AND MUNITION COSTS WOULD RISE SHARPLY.
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